

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA**

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STATE OF OKLAHOMA, <i>et al.</i> ,	)	
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<i>Plaintiffs,</i>	)	
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v.	)	Case No. 4:05-cv-00329-GKF-PJC
	)	
TYSON FOODS, INC., <i>et al.</i> ,	)	
	)	
<i>Defendants.</i>	)	
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**DECLARATION OF WILLIAM BANNER M.D., Ph.D.**

1. My name is William Banner. I am an ICU Pediatric Attending Physician at Baptist Integris Medical Center in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma and the Medical Director of the Oklahoma Poison Control Center.
2. I have been retained by the Defendants in this matter to provide the jury with my clinical opinion as to whether there is a risk of harm to human health from exposure to the waters of the Illinois River Watershed. I have also been asked to review and respond to the claims made by the state's consultants, specifically Drs. Lawrence and Teaf, that the waters of the Illinois River Watershed pose a risk to human health.
3. I previously authored and submitted to my client an expert report detailing my work and conclusions in this matter. I understand that this report was served on Plaintiffs on December 1, 2008. I incorporate that report herein by reference.
4. If called to testify at trial, I would testify consistent with the opinions expressed in that report, errata sheet and corrected appendices.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed June 5, 2009.



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William Banner M.D., Ph.D.

